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Improper Use of Child Safety Seats — Kentucky, 1996

Since enactment of the Kentucky child restraint law in 1982, the number of motorvehicle—occupant deaths among children aged 0–4 years has decreased 37% (1). A substantial proportion of this decline is attributed to the increased use of child safety seats (CSSs); in 1995, use of CSSs in Kentucky was 72% (2). In 1996 in the United States, although approximately 85% of infants and 60% of children aged 0–4 years were restrained, approximately 80% of CSSs were used improperly (3). The effectiveness of CSSs in preventing death and injury is reduced when they are used incorrectly (4,5). To estimate the rate for improper use of CSSs, the Kentucky Injury Prevention and Research Center analyzed data from observations and inspections of vehicles entering the main community shopping center parking lot during 1 day in each of two rural counties. This report summarizes the results of this study, which indicate that most children in CSSs were restrained improperly.

In both counties, an inspection area was set up within the parking lot, and two observers were placed at the entrance; other entrances were closed by traffic safety cones. Observers completed a survey form for each vehicle containing an occupant appearing to be aged ≤4 years, and every other vehicle with an occupant appearing to be aged ≤4 years was asked to participate in the interview/inspection process. When a driver agreed to participate, a consent form was signed and one researcher interviewed the driver and a second inspected the CSS. Interviews consisted of 16 questions related to the driver, the CSS, and the reason for the trip. Inspections addressed the type of CSS, position(s) of child(ren) in the vehicle, type of vehicle, and whether the CSS was used properly.

A total of 232 motor vehicles with an occupant aged ≤4 years were observed at the two sites. Of the 116 vehicles that were eligible for interview/inspection, 77 (66%) drivers agreed to participate. There were 87 child occupants in the 77 vehicles; 62 (81%) of the drivers were female, and 54 (70%) of the drivers were mothers of the children.

Of the 87 children, 69 (79%) were restrained, and 17 (20%) were restrained properly; 14 (16%) of the children were unrestrained. The restraint status of the remaining four children was undetermined because they were unrestrained at the time of inspection; although the adult occupants reported the children had been restrained before the inspection and interview, these four were not included in the analysis. A total of 73 instances of improper use were observed among the 52 improperly restrained children. A substantially greater percentage of these errors occurred with the use of convertible

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CSSs (e.g., a seat that can be used for both infants and toddlers; backward facing for infants aged <12 months and weighing <20 lbs, and forward facing for children aged ≥12 months and weighing 20–40 lbs). Within this category, 22 (42%) errors involved the harness, and 19 (37%) involved misuse of the harness retainer (chest) clip (Figure 1).

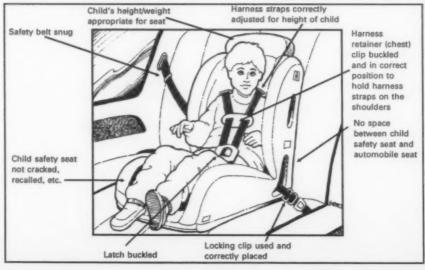
Of the 42 drivers who had improperly restrained children as occupants, 28 (67%) reported having learned how to use the device by reading the accompanying instructions. Nine (21%) reported having learned through the process of trial and error, and five (12%) reported having learned through demonstration.

The 83 children with known restraint status were distributed into three age categories: aged \leq 12 months (n=19), aged 13–24 months (n=29), and aged >24 months (n=36). For three (4%) children, ages were not recorded on the interview form. Children aged \leq 12 months had the lowest percentage (15%) of improper use (referent group). Compared with children aged \leq 12 months, those aged 13–24 months were four times more likely to be restrained improperly (odds ratio=4.0, p=0.06). Among children aged 13–24 months, 90% were restrained improperly, followed by children aged >24 months (69%) and children aged \leq 12 months (68%).

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Editorial Note: The findings in this report indicate that although most children were restrained in a CSS, three fourths were restrained improperly. Previous studies have documented similar proportions of improper restraint (5,6). Concern about the proper use of CSSs was prompted by the relation between CSS use and air bag-related injuries to children (7).

FIGURE 1. Factors considered in inspection of child safety seats — Kentucky, 1996



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Children aged 13–24 months who used convertible CSSs were most likely to be restrained improperly. Infant CSSs may be easier to use correctly than are convertible CSSs. In addition, more instruction may be available for infant seats than for convertible CSSs. A previous study documented a 46% decrease in misuse of CSSs when personal instruction was given (8).

Because children aged 13–24 months are no longer passive infants and may protest vigorously about being restrained, the risk for CSS errors or the lack of restraint may be increased. As a result, caregivers must be firm in their resolve to have children restrained properly. Because the developmental characteristics of children cannot be changed, prevention efforts must focus on changing the behavior of caregivers.

The findings in this report are subject to at least two limitations. First, only 66% of eligible drivers participated in the survey; therefore, the findings may not be representative of all child restraint use. Second, eligibility was determined by the physical appearance of the child. As a result, some children may have been missed who appeared to be aged >4 years.

At least five strategies exist for increasing the proper use of CSSs. First, encouraging proper use of CSSs should combine health education and law enforcement (9). For example, law enforcement officers could issue citations for improper use, but fines could be waived if the caregiver attended an educational class on proper use and then demonstrated the capability of using the device properly. Second, at the 12month well-child examination, health-care providers could assess the child for weight and ability to make the transition from an infant CSS to a convertible CSS, or to use the convertible seat in the position for an older child. The caregiver could bring the CSS and vehicle most frequently used to the examination site, and the health-care provider could explain and demonstrate proper use. Third, targeted educational strategies are needed for groups at highest risk. This will require better documentation of the characteristics of the misuse and resulting injuries to child passengers. Fourth, local health departments and others could offer training in the proper use of CSSs at areas frequented by toddlers and their caregivers (e.g., fast-food restaurants, day care centers, and church-affiliated child-care programs). Finally, improved engineering could make CSSs easier to use. In addition, efforts to improve automobiles so that rear seats are equipped with universal attachments for CSSs should continue

All 50 states have legislation that mandates restraint use for children aged <4 years. The adoption of this legislation has been associated with declines in motor-vehicle-related deaths among children in this age group. To continue this decline, prevention efforts now must focus on the proper use of these CSSs to maximize their life-saving potential.

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Imported Dengue — United States, 1996

Dengue is a mosquito-transmitted acute disease caused by any of four dengue virus serotypes (DEN-1, DEN-2, DEN-3, and DEN-4) and characterized by the sudden onset of fever, headache, myalgia, arthralgia, rash, nausea, and vomiting. This disease is endemic in most tropical areas of the world and has occurred in U.S. residents returning from travel to such areas. CDC maintains a laboratory-based passive surveillance system for imported dengue among U.S. residents. This report summarizes information about cases of imported dengue among U.S. residents for 1996, which indicated that most persons for whom travel history was known probably acquired infection in the Caribbean islands or Asia.

Serum samples from 179 persons who had suspected dengue with onset of symptoms in 1996 were submitted to CDC for diagnostic testing from 32 states and the District of Columbia. From these samples, 43 (24%) cases from 18 states and the District of Columbia were diagnosed serologically as dengue (single high titers of IgG in acute serum samples or by IgM detection in early convalescent samples) or by isolation of dengue virus. A diagnosis of dengue infection was negative in 102 (57%) patients and could not be determined in 34 (19%) patients because of unavailability of convalescent samples for serologic testing (1).

Of the 43 persons with laboratory-diagnosed dengue, sex was known in 39; 22 (56%) were male. Age was reported for 30 persons and ranged from 5 to 69 years (median: 33 years). The virus serotype (DEN-1 and DEN-2) was identified for five cases (Table 1). Travel histories, available for 37 persons, indicated that infections probably were acquired in the Caribbean islands (19 cases), Asia (11), Africa (three), the Pacific islands (two), Central America (one), and South America (one).

Clinical information was available for 28 patients with laboratory-diagnosed denque. The most commonly reported symptoms were consistent with classic dengue fever (e.g., fever [93%], headache [61%], myalgia [57%], rash [57%], and arthralgia [18%]). Less frequently reported manifestations included diarrhea (five); eye pain (four); skin hemorrhages (two); and jaundice and depression (one each); low platelet counts (61,000-127,000/mm³, average 98,000/mm³ [normal: 150,000-450,000/mm³]) Imported Dengue - Continued

(eight); low white blood cell count (1900–3100/mm³, average 2550/mm³ [normal: 3200–9800/mm³]) (six); and elevated liver enzymes (one). At least two patients were hospitalized, and no deaths were reported.

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TABLE 1. Suspected and laboratory-diagnosed cases of imported dengue, by state — United States. 1996

	Ca	ses	Travel history, if known, of persons with
State	Suspected	Laboratory- diagnosed	laboratory-diagnosed dengue (serotype, if known)
Alabama	4	0	
Alaska	1	0	
Arkansas	1	0	
California	10	0	
Colorado	8	2	India (DEN-2), Malaysia
District of Columbia	5	1	Ivory Coast
Florida	5	1	Trinidad
Georgia	11	1	Grenadine Islands
Hawaii	6	2	Samoa (two cases)
Illinois	6	0	
Indiana	1	0	
Maine	1	1	U.S. Virgin Islands (DEN-1)
Maryland	9	6	U.S. Virgin Islands, British Virgin Islands (five cases)
Massachusetts	20	7	U.S. and British Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Malaysia, India (two cases)
Michigan	3	0	
Minnesota	3	0	
Montana	1	0	
Nebraska	1	0	
New Hampshire	1	0	
New Jersey	3	1	India
New Mexico	4	0	
New York	18	6	Jamaica, U.S. and British Virgin Islands, Anguilla, India (DEN-2), Trinidad and Tobago
North Carolina	4	2	India, Senegal
Ohio	1	1	Philippines
Oregon	8	1	Burma and Thailand
Pennsylvania	7	3	Puerto Rico and British Virgin Islands, British Virgin Islands (two cases)
Rhode Island	3	3	(DEN-1, two cases)
South Carolina	2	0	
Texas	23	2	Honduras, Nigeria
Vermont	2	1	Barbados
Virginia	1	0	
Washington	2	1	Southeast Asia
Wisconsin	4	1	Ecuador
Total	179	43	

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Editorial Note: Dengue is transmitted by the mosquito Aedes aegypti, which is present in most tropical urban areas of the world. In the United States, the mosquito can be found during the summer in southeastern states, including parts of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas. Dengue transmission in the United States is rare; however, autochthonous transmission of dengue was documented in Texas in 1980, 1986, and 1995 (2).

The incubation period of dengue is 4–7 days (range: 3–14 days). Most cases are characterized by mild manifestations, but infections in some persons can result in the more severe forms of the disease. Dengue hemorrhagic fever (DHF) is characterized by fever, low platelet count (≤100,000/mm³), hemorrhagic manifestations, and evidence of increased vascular permeability (e.g., hemoconcentration [hematocrit increased by ≥20% from baseline], pleural or abdominal effusions, or hypoalbuminemia). Dengue shock syndrome (DSS) is DHF plus narrow pulse pressure (≤20 mm Hg), hypotension, or shock (3). The fatality rate for patients with DSS can be as high as 44% (4).

During 1987–1993, the average annual number of laboratory-diagnosed cases reported to CDC was 20, but in 1994 the number increased to 38 (1). In 1995, an unusually high number (n=86) of imported laboratory-diagnosed cases of dengue was identified by CDC, reflecting the occurrence of outbreaks in Central American and Caribbean countries and the high number of cases detected by an active surveillance system in Texas (5,6). In 1996, the number of dengue and DHF cases reported to the Pan American Health Organization (n=276,758) was lower than the total for 1995 (n=316,187). Among persons in the United States with imported cases in 1996, five persons with history of travel to India reflect the DEN-2 epidemic that occurred in India (7). Among the imported infections acquired in the Caribbean islands during 1996, seven were diagnosed in persons from Maryland and Pennsylvania who traveled to the Caribbean during January (8).

The number of cases in this report represents a minimum estimate of the number of U.S. travelers with dengue. Because dengue is not a notifiable disease nationally or in most states, diagnostic samples may not be sent for testing or they may be sent to laboratories other than CDC; therefore, many imported cases may not be counted. To provide a better estimate of the total number of cases, state epidemiologists were asked to provide a listing of all dengue cases reported in their state with onset of illness in 1996. Nineteen states reported 51 cases; 22 (43%) cases had not been reported previously.

There is no vaccine for preventing dengue, and persons traveling to areas where dengue is endemic should avoid exposure to mosquito bites by using mosquito repellents and protective clothing and remaining in well screened or air conditioned areas. Ae. aegypti is an urban mosquito usually found in or near human dwellings. In domestic settings, the mosquito can be found resting in dark areas including closets, bathrooms, behind curtains, and under beds. The species bites usually during the early morning and late afternoon (9). The risk for exposure is higher in urban residential areas, but may be lower for tourists in some settings (e.g., beaches, hotels with well-kept grounds, and areas away from human habitation).

The incidence and geographic distribution of dengue have increased greatly in recent years, and health-care providers should consider dengue in the differential

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diagnosis of illness in all patients who have fever and a history of travel to tropical areas within 2 weeks of onset of symptoms. Because of the anticoagulant properties of acetylsalicylic acid (i.e., aspirin) and other nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory agents, only acetaminophen products are recommended for the management of pain and fever. For diagnosis, acute- and convalescent-phase serum samples should be obtained and sent through state or territorial health departments to CDC's Dengue Branch, Division of Vector-Borne Infectious Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases, 2 Calle Casia, San Juan, PR 00921-3200; telephone (787) 766-5181; fax (787) 766-6596. Serum samples should be accompanied by a summary of clinical and epidemiologic information, including date of onset of disease, date of collection of sample, and a detailed recent travel history.

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National, State, and Urban Area Vaccination Coverage Levels Among Children Aged 19–35 Months — United States, 1997

CDC's National Immunization Survey (NIS) provides ongoing national estimates of vaccination coverage among children aged 19–35 months, based on the data for the most recent 12 months, for each of the 50 states and for 28 selected urban areas (1). The NIS was implemented in April 1994 to monitor vaccination coverage levels as part of the Childhood Immunization Initiative (CII), a national strategy to ensure high vaccination coverage of children during the first 2 years of life (2). This report presents the findings of the 1997 NIS*, which indicate that vaccination coverage among U.S. children aged 19–35 months remains at the highest levels ever, but that some new vaccines or recommended vaccine doses are below 90% coverage levels.

NIS uses a quarterly random-digit-dialing sample of telephone numbers for each survey area to collect vaccination information for all age-eligible children. During 1997, a total of 32,433 household interviews were completed, representing 32,742 children (mean: 420 children per survey area). The overall response rate for households

^{*}For this reporting period (January-December 1997), NIS included children born during February 1994-May 1996 (median age: 27 months).

with children aged 19-35 months for all 78 survey areas was 69% (range: 56%-89%). For completeness and verification, vaccination data are requested from vaccination providers with consent of parents. Provider data are weighted to represent the entire group of children surveyed and to account for household nonresponse, natality data, and the lower vaccination coverage among children in households without telephones (1.3). The demographic characteristics and reported vaccination histories were similar for children with and without provider information.

Compared with 1996, national vaccination coverage during 1997 increased slightly for three or more doses of Haemophilus influenzae type b vaccine (Hib3) (from 92% to 93%) and for three or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine (HepB3) (from 82% to 84%) (Table 1). Coverage with varicella vaccine (VAR) increased from 16% in 1996 to 26% in 1997, During 1997, VAR coverage increased from 18% in the first guarter to 33% in the last quarter. As in 1996, coverage with three or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP3), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine (Polio3), one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine

TABLE 1. Vaccination coverage levels among children aged 19-35 months, by selected vaccines — United States, National Immunizaton Survey, 1994-1997

	Deci	April- ember 1994°		nuary- nber 1995 [†]		nuary- nber 1996 [§]		nuary- nber 1997
Vaccine/Dose	%	(95% CI**)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)
DTP/DT ^{††}								
≥3 Doses	94	(±0.6)	95	(±0.6)	95	(±0.4)	95	(±0.4)
≥4 Doses	76	(±1.1)	79	(±1.0)	81	(±0.7)	81	(±0.7)
Poliovirus								
≥3 Doses	83	(±1.0)	88	(±0.8)	91	(±0.5)	91	(±0.5)
Hib ⁵⁵								
≥3 Doses	86	(±0.8)	92	(±0.6)	92	(±0.5)	93	(±0.5)
MCVII								
≥1 Doses	89	(±0.8)	90	(±0.7)	91	(±0.5)	91	(±0.5)
Hepatitis B								
≥3 Doses	37	(±1.2)	68	(±1.0)	82	(±0.7)	84	(±0.6)
Varicella								
≥1 Doses		NA***		NA	16	(±0.7)**	1 26	(±0.7)
Combined series								
4 DTP/3 Polio/1 MCV ^{§§§}	74	(±1.1)	76	(±1.0)	78	(±0.8)	78	(±0.7)
4 DTP/3 Polio/1 MCV/3 Hib 111	69	(±1.2)	74	(±1.0)	77	(±0.8)	76	(±0.8)

Children in this survey period were born during May 1991-May 1993.

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^{**} Confidence interval.

Diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT). 15 Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib) vaccine

Through the same of the same o *** Estimate based on data collected during July-December 1996 for children born during August 1993-May 1995.

⁵⁵⁵ Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of MCV.

Four of more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and three or more doses of Hib.

(MCV), and Hib3 exceeded 90% in 1997; coverage with four or more doses of DTP (DTP4) remained at 81%.

For the 4:3:1[†] and 4:3:1:3[§] series, national coverage remained stable (78% and 76%, respectively). The range of state-specific coverage for the 4:3:1 series narrowed from 64% to 88% (median: 79%) in 1996 to 71% to 87% (median: 78%) in 1997 (Table 2). For selected urban areas, coverage for the 4:3:1 series ranged from 63% to 84% (median: 79%) in 1996 to 66% to 88% (median: 76%) in 1997. Although the median coverge levels remained stable, the low end of the ranges increased.

Coverage levels for Polio3, MCV, and Hib3 ranged from 84% to 97% among states and from 81% to 96% among urban areas (Table 3). For DTP4, coverage ranged from 75% to 91% among states and 69% to 91% among urban areas. For HepB3, coverage ranged from 73% to 91% among states and 76% to 90% among urban areas.

During 1997, all states and 27 of the 28 selected urban areas achieved 90% coverage with DTP3. Four states and one urban area achieved 90% coverage with DTP4, and eight of the 46 remaining states and two of the 27 remaining urban areas had coverage levels of 85% to 89% (Table 3).

Compared with 1996, 90% coverage with Polio3 during 1997 increased from 38 to 41 states and decreased from 17 to 12 urban areas; all remaining states and 12 of the remaining 16 urban areas had coverage of 85% to 89% (1). For MCV, 90% coverage decreased from 32 to 31 states and from 19 to 17 urban areas; 18 of the 19 remaining states and nine of the 11 remaining urban areas had coverage of 85% to 89%. For Hib3, 90% coverage increased from 41 to 48 states and from 19 to 20 urban areas; all remaining states and six of the remaining eight urban areas had coverage levels of 85% to 89%. In 1997, two states and one urban area achieved 90% coverage for HepB3; 17 of the remaining 48 states and seven of the remaining 27 urban areas had HepB3 coverage levels of 85% to 89%. Compared with July 1996–June 1997, the median VAR coverage during 1997 increased from 17% (range: 3%–33%) to 23% (range: 4%–40%) among states and from 16% (range: 7%–33%) to 26% (range: 13%–43%) among urban areas (Table 3). Compared with 1996, the number that reached or exceeded 90% coverage goals (70% for HepB3) in 1997 remained unchanged at 30 states and decreased from 14 to 10 urban areas (1).

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Editorial Note: The findings in this report indicate that national coverage for the recommended vaccines remained the highest ever recorded, with four of the antigens at >90% coverage levels. This accomplishment reflects improvements in the vaccination delivery system since the low coverage levels reported during the 1989–1991 measles epidemic. The findings also suggest that several challenges remain: coverage levels for DTP4 have not changed since 1996, HepB3 coverage increased only slightly in 1997, and VAR coverage levels are increasing but remain at relatively low levels.

The low coverage levels with DTP4 may reflect in part the difficulty of getting children to return to providers in the second year of life when receipt of DTP4 is recommended. Reminding parents or recalling children that are overdue by using reminder

[†]Four or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine (MCV).

Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and three or more doses of *Haemophilus influenzae* type b vaccine.

TABLE 2. Estimated vaccination coverage with the 4:3:1 series* and 4:3:1:3 series* among children aged 19-35 months, by coverage level and state and selected urban area — United States, National Immunization Survey, 1997[§]

Coverage Level/	Seri	es 4:3:1	Coverage Level/	Serie	ıs 4:3:1:3
State/Urban area	%	(95% Cff)	State/Urban area	%	(95% CI ¹
≥85%			≥85%	,,,	
Alabama	86	(±3.2)	Alabama	85	(±3.2)
Jefferson Co.	84	(±4.2)	Jefferson Co.	82	(±4.3)
Connecticut	87	(±3.6)	Connecticut	85	(±3.8)
Maine	87	(±3.4)	Massachusetts	86	(±3.1)
Massachusetts	87	(±2.9)	Boston	86	(±3.6)
Boston	88	(±3.4)		00	(I3.0)
	85		75%-84%		
New Hampshire	86	(±3.8) (±3.1)	Alaska	75	(±4.8)
Vermont	00	(13.1)	Arkansas	77	(±4.4)
75%-84%			Delaware	79	(±4.8)
Alaska	77	(±4.7)	Florida	77	(±3.6)
Arkansas	77	(±4.4)	Dade Co.	75	(±5.0)
California	76	(±3.0)	Duval Co.	70	(±5.1)
Los Angeles Co.	73	(±5.5)	Georgia	79	(±3.6)
San Diego Co.	80	(±4.3)	Fulton/DeKalb cos.	75	(±4.9)
San Diego Co. Santa Clara Co.	75	(±4.7)	Hawaii	79	(±4.7)
Delaware	81	(±4.6)	lowa	76	(±4.3)
District of Columbia	76	(±5.3)	Kansas	82	(±3.8)
Florida	79	(±3.5)	Kentucky	79	(± 4.4)
Dade Co.	77	(±4.9)	Louisiana	76	(±4.1)
Duval Co.	71	(±5.1)	Orleans Parish	69	(±6.0)
Georgia	81	(±3.6)	Maine	84	(±3.6)
Fulton/DeKalb cos.	78	(±4.7)	Maryland	80	(±3.6)
Hawaii	81	(±4.6)	Baltimore	83	(±4.7)
Illinois	76	(±3.7)	Michigan	75	(±3.7)
Chicago	71	(±5.3)	Detroit	65	(±5.6)
lowa	76	(±4.3)	Minnesota	78	(±4.4)
Kansas	82	(±3.8)	Mississippi	80	(±4.4)
Kentucky	81	(±4.3)	Missouri	77	(±4.4)
Louisiana	77	(±4.1)	Nebraska	75	(±4.3)
Orleans Parish	77 71	(±5.9)	New Hampshire	84	(±3.8)
Maryland	82	(±3.5)	New Jersey	76	(±4.2)
Baltimore	85	(±4.5)	Newark	66	(±6.3)
Michigan	77	(±3.6)	New Mexico	75	(±4.8)
Detroit	70	(±5.4)	New York	76	(±3.5)
Minnesota	81	(±4.2)	New York City	75	(±5.1)
Mississippi	81	(±4.4)	North Carolina	80	(±4.2)
Missouri	78	(±4.4)	North Dakota	82	(±3.9)
Montana	75	(±4.3)	Pennsylvania	80	(±3.7)
Nebraska	77	(±4.2)	Philadelphia Co.	78	(±5.1)
New Jersey	78	(±4.1)	Rhode Island	81	(±4.1)
Newark	70	(±6.1)		79	(±4.2)
New Mexico	77	(±4.6)	South Carolina South Dakota	76	(±4.2)
New York	79	(±3.3)		77	
	79		Tennessee		(±3.1)
New York City	81	(±4.8)	Davidson Co.	77 70	(±4.6)
North Carolina	81	(±4.2)	Shelby Co.		(±5.3)
North Dakota	83 75	(±3.8)	Vermont	84	(±3.3)
Ohio		(±3.6)	Washington	79	(±3.2)
Franklin Co.	75	(±5.0)	King Co.	77	(±4.6)
Cuyahoga Co.	74	(±5.3)	West Virginia	80	(±4.1)
Pennsylvania	82	(±3.6)	Wisconsin	79	(±3.1)
Philadelphia Co.	80	(±4.9)	Milwaukee Co.	70	(±4.9)
Rhode Island	84	(±3.9)	65%-74%		
South Carolina	80	(±4.2)	Arizona	73	(±3.4)
South Dakota	78	(±4.3)	Maricopa Co.	72	(±4.8)

Four or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine

^{*} Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and

three or more doses of *Haemophilus influenzae* type b vaccine. Children in this survey period were born during February 1994-May 1996.

¹ Confidence interval.

TABLE 2. Estimated vaccination coverage with the 4:3:1 series* and 4:3:1:3: series* among children aged 19-35 months, by coverage level and state and selected urban area — United States, National Immunization Survey, 1997 — Continued

Coverage Level/	Seri	es 4:3:1	Coverage Level/	Serie	s 4:3:1:3
State/Urban area	%	(95% Cff)	State/Urban area	%	(95% CI)
Tennessee	78	(±3.1)	California	74	(±3.1)
Davidson Co.	77	(±4.6)	Los Angeles Co.	71	(±5.5)
Shelby Co.	73	(±5.1)	San Diego Co.	78	(±4.3)
Texas	75	(±3.1)	Santa Clara Co.	73	(±4.8)
Bexar Co.	81	(±4.7)	Colorado	72	(±5.0)
Dallas Co.	77	(±5.2)	District of Columbia	73	(±5.4)
El Paso Co.	67	(±5.2)	Idaho	70	(± 4.7)
Houston	66	(±6.1)	Illinois	74	(±3.8)
Washington	80	(±3.1)	Chicago	68	(±5.5)
King Co.	79	(±4.8)	Indiana	72	(±3.7)
West Virginia	82	(±4.0)	Marion Co.	81	(±4.5)
Wisconsin	80	(±3.0)	Montana	74	(±4.4)
Milwaukee Co.	73	(±4.8)	Nevada	71	(±4.9)
85%-74%			Ohio	73	(±3.6)
Arizona	74	(±3.4)	Cuyahoga Co.	73	(±5.3)
Maricopa Co.	74	(±4.7)	Franklin Co.	74	(±5.0)
Colorado	74	(±4.9)	Oklahoma	71	(±4.9)
Idaho	72	(±4.6)	Oregon	72	(± 4.7)
Indiana	74	(±3.6)	Texas	74	(±3.1)
Marion Co.	82	(±4.4)	Bexar Co.	79	(± 4.8)
Nevada	73	(±4.8)	Dallas Co.	74	(±5.4)
Oklahoma	72	(±4.9)	El Paso Co.	65	(±5.3)
Oregon	73	(±4.6)	Houston	64	(±6.1)
Utah	71	(±4.7)	Utah	69	(±4.7)
	73		Virginia	72	(±4.8)
Virginia Wyoming	74	(±4.7) (±4.4)	Wyoming	72	(±4.4)
Total	78	(±0.7)	Total	76	(±0.8)

 Four or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT), three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, and one or more doses of measles-containing vaccine

Four or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of MCV, and

three or more doses of *Haemophilus influenzae* type b vaccine. Children in this survey period were born during February 1994-May 1996.

¹ Confidence interval.

and recall systems may further increase coverage with the fourth dose of DTP. Acellular-based DTP4 also can be administered to children as early as age 12 months if providers believe that the child is unlikely to return for a vaccination visit at age 15-18 months and if at least 6 months has elapsed since the third dose (4). Coverage with DTP4 is particularly low among children living below the poverty level (5). Conducting vaccine assessment and referral in the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) is an effective strategy to address this gap in coverage (6).

Achieving high coverage with HepB3 vaccine since the 1991 ACIP recommendation for universal administration in infancy initially may have been hampered by provider resistance to vaccination of children at low immediate risk for disease (7) and the lack of adequate resources for vaccine purchase. During the mid-1990s, the federal government and several state governments enhanced the availability of HepB vaccine, and coverage with three or more doses increased from 37% in 1994 to 82% in 1996. Strategies that may further increase coverage with HepB3 include greater provider and parental education on the reasons for vaccination of infants, vaccination assessment and referral for needed vaccines at WIC sites (6), provider assessment TABLE 3. Estimated vaccination coverage with individual vaccines among children aged 19-35 months, by state and selected

Vaccination Coverage Levels — Continued

	≥3 □	≥3 DTP/DT	X	≥4 DTP/DT ⁴	≥3 Po	23 Poliovirus*	×118	≥1 MCV**	× ×	>3 HIb ⁷⁷	≥3 He	23 Hepatitis B	>1 Va	≥1 Varicella ^{§§}
State/Urban area	%	(95%CIM)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(15% CI)	%	(95% CI)	%	(95% CI
Alabama***	86	(±1.2)	88	(±2.9)	98	(±1.8)	92	(+2.5)	97	(+1 5)	98	142 41	22	14.9 €
Jefferson Co.***	86	(±1.8)	87	(±3.8)	63	(+2.9)	63	(+2 9)	96	(+2.2)	000	(1.5.1)	200	(123.0)
Alaskattt	93	(± 2.9)	80	(±4.5)	91	(±3.2)	87	(+3.9)	06	(+3.5)	87	(+3.3)	30	(5.07)
Arizonattt	91	(± 2.3)	79	(±3.3)	88	(+2.7)	88	(+2.6)	06	(+24)	70	(+2.4)	300	(123.3)
Maricopa Co. 111	91	(± 3.2)	79	(±4.5)	87	(+3.8)	88	(+3 6)	80	(+3 A)	200	(14 2)	0 00	113.4
Arkansas***	98	(±2.4)	83	(+4.1)	16	(+3 0)	92	(+2.8)	000	(40.4)	00	(T# 2)	67	(14.6)
California***	94	(±1.8)	79	(+3.0)	06	(+2.2)	80	(+2.4)	200	(175.7)	000	(±3.3)	16	(±3.7)
Los Angeles Co. 111	69	(+3.4)	76	(+5.4)	80	(+3 0)	8 8	(4.5.7)	000	(7.77)	200	(12.4)	30	(±2.9)
Santa Clara Co. 111	97	(+2.0)	83	(+4.1)	000	(42.5)	0 0	(13.7)	500	(±3.6)	82	(±4.6)	40	(±5.5)
San Diego Co.***	96	(+2.2)	0 0	(1-4 3)	000	(10.07)	2 0	(123.0)	200	(17.8)	/8	(±3.2)	37	(12.1)
Colorado***	94	(+2.7)	70	(±4.1)	000	(123.1)	* 0	(±2.4)	93	(±2.7)	98	(±3.4)	33	(44.6)
Connections**	98	(+13)	000	(0.54)	000	(1.5.7)	\$ 3	(IZZ./)	200	(±3.4)	08	(±4.4)	20	(±4.2)
Jelaware**	0.0	(41.0)	0 0	(E3.0)	400	(12.b)	5 6	(±2.7)	95	(±2.2)	84	(±3.9)	27	(±4.6)
Dietrice of Columbiatit	200	10.01	* 0	(4.4.4)	400	(17.8)	5	(±3.5)	94	(±2.8)	83	(±4.1)	28	(±4.8)
Closide**	100	(13.0)	000	(±5.0)	88	(±3.9)	91	(+3.6)	06	(±3.8)	79	(±4.8)	36	(±5.6)
Ding.	0 10	(II)	79	(±3.3)	6	(±2.4)	91	(±2.4)	93	(±2.2)	85	(±3.0)	27	(±3.3)
Duval Co	95	(±2.4)	75	(±4.8)	06	(+3.4)	8	(±3.6)	93	(+3.0)	88	(±3.2)	34	(+5.0)
Dade Co. 11	96	(±2.4)	81	(±4.6)	88	(±3.7)	91	(±3.4)	93	(±2.9)	82	(±4.3)	23	(+4.7)
seorgia***	86	(±1.2)	82	(±3.3)	94	(±1.9)	92	(±2.5)	98	(±1.8)	87	(+2.9)	25	(+3.4)
Fulton/DeKalb cos. 11	00	(±2.5)	84	(±4.2)	88	(±3.8)	93	(±2.9)	92	(±3.2)	83	(±4.2)	35	(+5.3)
lawaii***	94	(±2.8)	84	(±4.3)	90	(±3.5)	93	(±3.0)	92	(±3.3)	88	(+3.4)	34	(+5 2)
dahorri	92	(±2.9)	75	(±4.6)	88	(±3.2)	88	(±3.4)	88	(+3.5)	79	(+4.1)	3	(+2 A)
Illinois***	92	(±1.9)	81	(±3.4)	89	(±2.8)	88	(±2.7)	92	(+2.3)	81	(+3.2)	20	(+3.2)
Chicagottt	94	(±3.0)	75	(±5.2)	88	(+3.9)	87	(+4.0)	88	(+3 8)	80	(+A 7)	22	144 01
ndianatif	95	(±1.9)	77	(±3.5)	89	(+2.7)	88	(+2.7)	91	(+2.5)	80	(+3 3)	36	(TO 07)
Marion Co.***	96	(±2.3)	84	(+4.3)	92	(+3.1)	10	(+3 A)	03	(42 0)	00	11.0.11	200	1.4.4
lowattt	96	(±1.9)	82	(+3.9)	91	(+2.9)	80	(+3 3)	200	(+2.2)	200	(14.4)	200	(14.4)
Kansas***	96	(±2.1)	85	(+3.6)	93	(+2.6)	93	(+2 5)	0.4	(+2 d)	000	140.0	0 0	123.0
Kentucky***	95	(±2.3)	83	(+4.1)	92	(+2.9)	8 8	(+33)	0.4	(4.54)	000	(14.5)	07	(14.5)
.ouisiana ***	96	(+1.6)	83	(+38)	00	(+2 A)	2 0	149.01	100	(0.77)	200	(24.0)	07	(14.0)
Orleans Parishttt	06	(+4.1)	75	(+5.8)	200	(+E 2)	8 8	113.2	100	(177)	90	(13.1)	9 5	(±3.2)
Maine***	98	(+13)	00	(+3.0)	90	(3.67)	8 8	(1.9.1)	000	(14.7)	10	(ID.4)	30	(±2°0)
Warvland***	97	(+1.4)	98	(+3.2)	000	(4.5.1)	0 0	(27.72)	000	(1.00)	90	(±3.4)	2	(±3.2)
Raltimorate	00	10 077	000	(2.0.1)	2 0	(17.3)	1	(12.0)	0 10	(17.0)	92	(±3.1)	40	(14.1)
Daniel District State of the st	000	(12.2)	000	(14.0)	20 0	(13.1)	3	(±3.1)	95	(±2.7)	83	(±4.5)	26	(±5.3)
dasadcilusells	000	(2.1.2)	2	(±2.4)	400	(±2.0)	35	(±1.8)	96	(±1.8)	88	(±2.8)	21	(±3.3)
DOSION	20 (0	(±1.5)	5	(±3.0)	96	(+2.0)	8	(± 2.3)	96	(± 2.2)	06	(± 2.9)	20	(±4.4)
Michigan	95	(±1.9)	79	(43.5)	91	(± 2.4)	8	(± 2.8)	91	(± 2.4)	84	(± 2.8)	17	(±3.1)
Detroit	08	(±3.7)	73	(± 5.3)	82	(±4.7)	2	(±4.4)	82	(±4.7)	16	(±4.9)	15	(±4.2)
Winnesota***	96	(± 2.0)	84	(14.0)	63	(± 2.5)	92	(± 2.9)	93	(±2.7)	77	(±4.3)	36	(+4.7)
WISSISSIDDI ***	00	(±2.4)	83	(±4.2)	92	(±3.1)	06	(± 3.4)	94	(±2.6)	98	(±3.7)	11	(+3.6)
Missouri***	26	(±1.9)	83	(±4.1)	06	(±3.2)	06	(±3.3)	98	(±2.2)	83	(±3.8)	25	(+4.4)
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Nevadatit	83	(+2.9)	0	(T4.0)	200	10.07	90	(+23)	67	(+1.7)	87	(± 3.2)	27	(14.3)	Va
New Hampshire***	66	(±1.0)	88	(±3.3)	n n	(E.71)	000	12001	0.4	142 21	91	(+2.1)	29	(±4.3)	cc
***************************************	98	(+1.3)	82	(± 3.9)	83	(47.0)	23	(E.21)	-	1000	10	(AE A)	15	(+A. A.)	ii
New Jersey	000	(TA D)	7.4	(+6.0)	81	(±5.4)	88	(±4.9)	84	(I.O.I)	0/	10.01	000	14.4 93	na
Newark	36	(D. +T)		10.017	a	(+28)	87	(+3.9)	89	(+3.6)	82	(±4.2)	20	(I.4.1)	ti
New Mexico ^{†††}	63	(±3.0)	9	(44.4)	0 0	10.01	0.0	(+20)	93	(+2.2)	86	(± 2.4)	26	(± 3.3)	or
Now Vork***	98	(± 1.2)	83	(±3.1)	2	(12.3)	100	10000	000	142 41	86	(+3.6)	22	(±4.6)	7
William North City.**	97	(+1.9)	83	(44.5)	92	(± 3.2)	93	(17.3)	200	1000	000	(40 64)	30	(+4.8)	Co
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North Carolina***	000	(F 0.2)	000	(+2 A)	0 0	(+2.6)	91	(+3.0)	96	(± 2.0)	82	(±3.0)	67	(I.4.0)	101
North Dakota***	86	(C.L±)	10	(#2.4)	200	120 61	00	(+27)	98	(+1.8)	83	(± 2.9)	23	(±3.0)	ra
Ohiottt	97	(±1.4)	80	(±3.4)	200	(12.0)	3 6	175 61	03	(+3.2)	83	(±4.3)	26	(±4.9)	ge
Cuvahoda Co.***	98	(±2.7)	78	(±5.1)	00	(13.7)	200	10.000	0.0	(+28)	78	(+4.5)	30	(±2.0)	L
Contribution (1)	96	(+2.4)	79	(±4.7)	88	(±3.8)	2	(13.0)	to	1000	00	(+3.7)	26	(+4.4)	.0
Franklin Co.	OB	(+2 6)	77	(+4.7)	06	(±3.3)	88	(±3.7)	23	(17.0)	200	170.0	000	(+4 K)	ve
Oklahoma	0 0	(+2 E)	78	(+4.4)	88	(±3.4)	88	(±3,4)	92	(± 2.9)	200	(13.7)	200	1000	els
Oregon	8 0	1000	0.0	1+2 61	00	(+2.9)	16	(±2.7)	93	(±2.4)	83	(±3.3)	200	113.9	-
Pennsylvania***	96	(±1.9)	0 0	(123.0)	200	(12 61)	00	(+33)	93	(±3.2)	81	(±4.7)	43	(±2.9)	-
Philadelphia Co.***	98	(±2.8)	82	(14.8)	2 0	(F.5.5)	90	(+23)	96	(+2.0)	87	(±3,3)	35	(±4.8)	C
Rhode Island***	66	(∓0.6)	88	(± 3.2)	S :	(12.3)	000	(1.5.3)	000	(+23)	86	(+3.4)	26	(±4.5)	or
***************************************	96	(+2.1)	83	(44.0)	91	(43.0)	5	(I3.Z)	0 10	(2.5.3)	100	10 84	A	(+19)	nti
South Carolina	90	(+1 4)	81	(±4.1)	92	(± 2.8)	91	(+3.0)	95	(±2.2)	200	(1.0.E.)	22	(+2 9)	n
South Dakota***	000	149.00	000	10 6+1	91	(+2.0)	06	(± 2.3)	94	(±1.6)	40	(C.ZI)	77	(1.4.0)	ue
Tennessee***	9 1	(21.5)	200	1447	88	(+3.8)	88	(±3.7)	91	(± 3.5)	84	(44.0)	24	(14.0)	nd
Shelby Co.***	95	(47.0)	0	(T.4.7)	30	170 41	00	(+3 6)	93	(+2.9)	79	(±4.1)	30	(±4.6)	
Davidson Co. ^{†††}	95	(± 2.5)	83	(14.1)	60	(123.4)	000	140.21	00	(+2.2)	82	(± 2.5)	23	(±2.5)	
Tovastit	92	(±2.1)	78	(±3.0)	200	(17.4)	000	125.01	00	(+2 4)	88	(+3.3)	25	(±4.6)	
***	98	(±2.7)	83	(±4.5)	94	(±2.8)	2	(10.4)	100	140 41	90	(+38)	27	(±5.1)	
Deval CO.	96	(+2.5)	79	(±5.1)	91	(+3.4)	88	(1.4.1)	200	1000	200	(+30)	18	(+3.9)	
Dallas Co.	000	(+3 %)	69	(±5.2)	87	(±3.7)	28	(±4.2)	20	(13.0)	200	(1.5.0)	20	(+4 5)	
El Paso Co	000	144 91	60	(+8.0)	84	(±4.8)	98	(±4.7)	82	(14.8)	0/	(E-4-1)		19 617	
Houston	000	(T.9. 1)	25	(+46)	06	(+3.2)	98	(±3.7)	06	(±3.2)	73	(±4.5)	4 0	(T2.0)	
Utahitt	93	(177.)	2 0	19 64	90	(+19)	94	(±2.1)	96	(±1.6)	83	(±3.2)	77	(13.9)	
Vermont***	88	(£0.5)	0 1	(17.0)	9 0	16 677	00	(+3.1)	92	(± 2.9)	84	(± 3.7)	32	(±4.7)	
Virginia***	94	(± 2.5)	10	(14.0)	000	(1.5.6)	000	(+23)	63	(+1.9)	81	(43.0)	13	(±2.5)	
Washington***	97	(±1.3)	84	(± 2.9)	20.0	(1.1.9)	500	(2.5.0)	000	(+3 4)	79	(+4.4)	13	(+3.6)	
*******	94	(+2.7)	83	(±4.2)	06	(±3.3)	35	(13.1)	200	1000	90	(+3 3)	19	(+3.9)	
King co.	80	(+1.2)	87	(±3.6)	95	(±2.2)	91	(±3.0)	16	(T1.7)	0 0	1000	20	(+2.8)	
West Virginia	000	(418)	83	(+2.9)	92	(±2.1)	91	(± 2.4)	200	(±1.9)	70	(2.2.0)	0 0	14 21	
Wisconsin	0 0	120 21	77	(+4 B)	88	(43.6)	93	(±2.7)	88	(±3.6)	11	(E.4.2)	200	1000	
Milwaukee Co. 111	46	(T.A.7)	20	(+A 2)	89	(+3.1)	84	(±3.8)	91	(± 2.9)	82	(43.6)	2	(123.0)	
Wyoming ^{†††}	83	(±7.6)	0	(I.W. &)	3				0.0	(+0 E)	8.4	(+0.6)	26	(±0.7)	
Total	92	(±0.4)	81	(∓0.7)	91	(±0.5)	50	(±0.5)	20	170.01		1			
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Three or more doses of diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine/diphtheria and tetanus toxoids (DTP/DT). * Children in this survey period were born during February 1994-May 1996.

Four or more doses of DTP/DT.

Three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine.

** One or more doses of measles-containing vaccine.

the dose of varioella vaccine on or after the first birthday. Data collection for varioella vacine began in July 1996. If Confidence interval. "Three or more doses of Haemophilus influenzae type b vaccine.

*** Achieved the 1996 Childhood Immunization Initiative (CII) goals for three or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of Hib, and three or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine. Did not achieve the 1996 CII goals for at least one of the following: three or more doses of DTP/DT, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine.

and feedback (8), use of reminder and recall systems for vaccination administration (9), and state laws requiring vaccination for day care and school entry.

Although VAR coverage increased substantially in 1997, the wide variation among states and urban areas indicates a need for special efforts in most areas. Among children, varicella is the leading cause of vaccine-preventable deaths in the United States, resulting in approximately 1 death per week. Increased coverage with VAR will be enhanced by promotional and education programs to address the lack of knowledge of the health burden associated with varicella in the United States and lack of provider knowledge about vaccine safety, efficacy, and duration of immunity (10). The national estimate for the last quarter of this reporting period suggests a continuing upward trend in coverage with VAR.

Although national coverage levels of 90% have been attained for several individual vaccines, substantial variation remains at the state and urban area level, and many states have not achieved 90% coverage levels for specific vaccines. Achieving the national goal of 90% coverage by 2000 will require states to achieve and maintain high coverage levels for each vaccine. Public health efforts must focus on implementing effective strategies that achieve and sustain high vaccination coverage.

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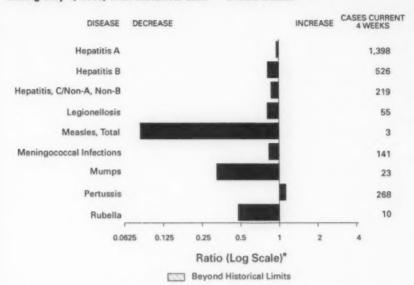
International Symposium on Tuberculosis Vaccine Development and Evaluation

The 1998 International Symposium on Tuberculosis Vaccine Development and Evaluation will be held August 26–28, 1998, in San Francisco, California. The symposium, cosponsored by CDC's National Vaccine Program Office, the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, the American Lung Association, the World Health Organization, the American Thoracic Society, and the International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, is for scientists, public health practitioners, infectious disease and pulmonary physicians, other health-care providers, vaccine manufacturers and distributors, and biotechnology firms. Symposium topics will include public health implications of tuberculosis (TB), the status of TB vaccine development, preclinical obstacles for TB candidate vaccines, challenges in TB vaccine evaluation, strategies for overcoming barriers for field testing, and criteria for field site selection. Information on the symposium is available from CDC's National Vaccine Program Office, telephone (404) 639-4168.

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In the CDC Surveillance Summaries, "Postneonatal Mortality Surveillance—United States, 1980–1994," on page 15, information was incorrectly presented in the results section of the abstract. The third sentence of that section should read, "The PNM ratio between blacks and whites remained steady at approximately 2.1 during 1982–1988 and gradually increased to 2.4 by 1994." This corrected sentence also replaces the fifth sentence under the Results heading on pages 16–17.

FIGURE I. Selected notifiable disease reports, comparison of provisional 4-week totals ending July 4, 1998, with historical data — United States



*Ratio of current 4-week total to mean of 15 4-week totals (from previous, comparable, and subsequent 4-week periods for the past 5 years). The point where the hatched area begins is based on the mean and two standard deviations of these 4-week totals.

TABLE I. Summary — provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, cumulative, week ending July 4, 1998 (26th Week)

		Cum. 1998		Curn. 1998
Anthrax Brucellosis		36	Plague Poliomyelitis, paralytic ¹	3
Cholera		J 30	Psittacosis	25
Congenital rubella syr	ndrome	3	Rabies, human	
Cryptosporidiosis*	10101110	917	Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF)	89
Diphtheria		1	Streptococcal disease, invasive Group A	89 1,287
Encephalitis: Califor	nia*	2	Streptococcal toxic-shock syndrome®	33 128
	n equine*		Syphilis, congenital**	128
St. Lou	iis*		Tetanus	14 67
	m equine*		Toxic-shock syndrome	67
Hansen Disease		60	Trichinosis	6
Hantavirus pulmonan		5	Typhoid fever	139
Hemolytic uremic syn MIV infection, pediatri	drome, post-diarrheal*	5 19 127	Yellow fever	

no reported cases

Not notifiable in all states.

Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases (NCID),

Updated monthly to the Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention—Surveillance and Epidemiology, National Center for HIV, STD, and

TB Prevention (NCHSTP), last update June 28, 1998.

One suspected case of polio with onset in 1998 has been reported to date.

"Updated from reports to the Division of STD Prevention, NCHSTP.

TABLE II. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

		NG.			coli O	157:H7			Hepa	
	Cum.	Cum.	Chiar Cum.	nydia Cum.	NET'SS [†]	PHLIS [®] Cum.	Gono Cum.	Cum.	C/N/A	Cum
Reporting Area	1998°	1997	1998	1997	1998	1998	1998	1997	1998	1997
INITED STATES	23,929	30,843	258,443	247,851	812	405	149,101	144,806	2,012	1,67
NEW ENGLAND	830	1,267	9,401	8,621	114	90	2,497	2,929	27	3
Maine N.H.	18 22	28 17	467	484	18	18	34	29 58		
V.H.	10	24	194	196	18	18	13	25		
Mass.	386	462	4,144	3,546	59	52	993	1,095	25	3
R.I.	67	81	1,230	1,019	3	1	180	242	2	
Conn.	327	655	2,907	2,988	21	15	1,231	1,480	*	
MID. ATLANTIC	6,951	9,739	31,057	27,085	80	18	17,179	17,404	212	15
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	3.910	1,620 4,965	17,038	13,136	57	6	2,961 7,401	2,979 6,547	162	11
N.Y. CRY	1,232	2,006	4,885	4,858	20	11	2,734	3,579		
a.	960	1,148	9,134	9,091	N	1	4,083	4,299	50	3
E.N. CENTRAL	1,768	2,131	42,769	35,869	149	78	29,361	21,283	256	32
Ohio	331	409	12,419	10,775	36	16	7,564	6,659	6	
nd.	326	360	2,706	4,204	51	22	1,769	2,820	3	
III. Mich.	708 305	760 473	12,462 10,844	6,476 9,052	33 29	20	10,038	3,206 6,404	11 236	23
Mis.	100	129	4,338	5,362	N	20	1,721	2,194	230	1
W.N. CENTRAL	444	603	14,744	15,679	97	51	7,085	6,942	111	3
Minn.	65	99	2,401	3,271	38	26	858	1,139	6	3
owa	49	69	2,010	2,285	25	*	638	614	11	1
Mo.	209	294	5,634	5,762	10	17	4,034	3,725	90	
N. Dak. S. Dak.	9	6	290 800	427 621	2	5	29	30	*	
S. Dak. Nebr.	39	49	1.095	1,007	6 7	1	129 366	66 371	2	
Cans.	69	83	2,505	2,306	9	2	1,031	997	2	
S. ATLANTIC	5,900	7,638	64,111	46,356	66	29	43,470	45,229	101	11
Del.	75	144	1,241	*		1	673	566		"
Md.	718	949	4,129	3,647	12	4	4,703	5,790	5	
D.C.	481 425	533 599	5.342	5,533	1 N	2	1,758	2,076		1
Va. W. Va.	425 57	599 57	1,322	1,431	N N	7 2	3,046	4,003	5	
N.C.	390	423	10,900	8,329	12	10	9,143	7,996	12	2
S.C.	386	403	9,309	6,151	2		6,043	5,590	2	2
Qa.	616	970	12,196	8,513	22	2	10,026	9,806	9	
Fla.	2,752	3,560	9,672	12,752	14	5	7,707	8,928	64	3
E.S. CENTRAL	936 127	1,018	17,829 3,052	16,924 3,336	43	11	16,851	16,625	77	18
Ky. Tenn.	333	413	6,228	6,287	22	10	1,753 5,297	2,089 5,241	14 60	12
Ala.	274	239	4,889	3,986	11	*	6,113	5,619	3	12
Miss.	202	189	3,660	3,315	Ü	1	3,688	3,676	ŭ	5
W.S. CENTRAL	2,899	3,145	36,049	28,793	51	8	20,551	18,959	514	19
Ark.	104	120	1,647	1,416	4	3	1,153	2,315	5	
La. Dkta.	512 170	562 138	6,429 4,875	4,142 3,662	6	2 3	5,274	3,865	10	10
Tex.	2,113	2,325	23,098	3,662 19,573	41	3	2,656 11,468	2,330 10,449	497	8
MOUNTAIN	831	900	9,212	13,886	84	50	3,331	3,749	237	15
Mont.	15	22	632	513	6	50	3,331	3,749	5	18
ldaho	15	28	917	709	9	1	83	52	87	2
Wyo.	147	13	330	284	2		15	26	43	
Colo. N. Mex.	147 130	224 80	1,878	3,108 1,925	22 10	18	1,132 371	1,050 441	14 52	
Ariz.	329	227	4,002	5,052	N	9	1,457	1,598	3	
Utah	65	73	1,144	836	15	10	112	121	20	
Nev.	128	233	309	1,459	7	6	138	441	13	
PACIFIC	3,370	4,402	43,271	54,638	128	70	8,776	11,686	477	40
Wash.	236	288	5,583	4,628	27	22	953	973	10	-
Oreg.	93 2,962	144 3,912	2,821 32,903	2,388 46,050	33 66	27 18	367 7,097	362 9.895	410	
Alaska	12	3,912	946	724	2	18	156	9,895	410	36
Hawaii	67	36	1,018	848	Ñ	3	203	246	54	1
Guarn		2	8	193	N		2	27		
P.R.	1,001	1,019	U	U		U	216	335		
V.I.	17	51	N	N	N	Ü	U	U	U	
Amer. Samoa	*	i	U	U	N	U	U	U	U	
C.N.M.I.	*	1	N	N	N	U	14	16		

TABLE II. (Cont'd.) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

	Legior	nellosis	Lyr Disa		Mal	aria	Sypi (Primary &	hilis Secondary)	Tubero	ulosis	Rabies
Reporting Area	Cum. 1998	Curn. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998*	Cum. 1997	Cum. 1998
UNITED STATES	506	418	2,735	2,361	541	757	3,273	4,304	5,962	8,473	3,457
NEW ENGLAND	25	27	805	524	20	39	38	87	157	216	655
Maine N.H.	1	1	3	3	4	1	1		Ü	15	113
N.H. Vt.	3	4	17	7	3	2	1		6	6	33
Mass.	10	8	175	89	11	17	3 24	40	120	3	30
R.I.	4	5	32	43	2	3	24	2	30	117	222
Conn.	6	5	574	379		14	9	45	Ü	59	221
MID. ATLANTIC	109	70	1,532	1,442	135	225	101	210	1,118	1,482	779
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	32 19	18	815	503 80	36 65	35	16	24	148	207	541
N.J.	4	14	238	370	20	139	23 19	90	690 280	782	U
Pa.	54	34	469	489	14	13	43	56	U	190	97
E.N. CENTRAL	154	149	43	36	46	79	462	363	459	867	50
Ohio	66	65	37	12	3	9	74	112	5	149	37
Ind.	23	26	5	10	2	7	100	75	6	79	4
Mich,	31	32	í	10	15 25	35 17	174 89	45	276	439	2
Wis.	20	21	Ü	Ü	1	11	25	59 72	172 U	145 55	6
W.N. CENTRAL	37	28	22	29	33	24	71	88			
Minn.	3	1	9	15	17	9	3	13	119 U	262 69	366
lowa Mo.	4	7	9	1	3	6		3	ŭ	30	82
N. Dak.	14	3	1	11	9	5	55	51	82	100	17
S. Dak.	1	2		-	2	1	1		14	5	74
Nebr.	12	10	1	1		1	4	1	5	12	66
Kans.	3	3	2	1	2	2	8	20	18	39	57
S. ATLANTIC	70	55	235	209	133	123	1,374	1,694	924	1,605	1,080
Del. Md.	7	11	5	41	.1	.2	15	15	*	17	17
D.C.	4	3	159	135	10	42	331	477 65	142	146	263
Va.	7	11	21	4	22	32	87	139	58 118	50 165	336
W. Va.	N	N	5	1	*	-	2	3	24	27	42
N.C. S.C.	6	6 2	13	8	12	7	383	360	205	196	136
Ga.	2	-	2	1	15	9	161 240	211 271	159 218	187	77
Fla.	24	15	24	11	25	8	116	153	U	286 531	102
E.S. CENTRAL	21	28	25	38	14	16	554	920	160	634	130
Ky.	12	7	7	5	2	4	59	76	U	95	19
Tenn.	6	14	10	15	8	4	284	385	U	234	79
Miss.	ű	5	Ü	14	ű	5	132 79	238 221	160	201 104	32 U
W.S. CENTRAL	16	5	10	27	17	8	410	649			
Ark.	*		5	8	1	2	54	96	53 53	1,261	106
La.	1	1		1	4	4	150	200	03	85	21
Okto. Tex.	6	1 3	5	. 4	2	2	25	57	U	114	85
				14	10		181	296	U	955	-
MOUNTAIN Mont	31	19	4	4	27	37	102	82	223	255	82
daho		2	1		3	2		*	12	6 7	29
Wyo.	1	1		1	-	2	1		2	2	41
Colo. N. Mex.	6 2	9	2		7	18	8	4	Ü	49	1
Ariz.	4	7		1	11	5	12	4	28	19	2
Jtah	16	5			5	2	76	85 3	111	115	7 2
Nev.	1	3	1	2		4	2	6	29	46	2
PACIFIC	43	27	59	52	116	206	161	211	2,749	1,891	207
Wash.	5	6	2	1	9	8	12	7	120	146	207
Oreg. Calif.	37	20	8 48	10	11	10	2	4	58	83	. 1
Maska		20	1	41	95	181	147	198	2,464	1,523	186
Hawaii	1	1	*		1	4		1	25 82	44 95	20
Guam	-							3	500		
P.R.	-					3	114	122	46	13 88	28
/.l. Amer. Samoa	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U
	1.3	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	Ü	Ü	Ü

N: Not notifiable U: Unavailable -: no reported cases

^{*}Additional information about areas displaying "U" for cumulative 1998 Tuberculosis cases can be found in Notice to Readers, MMWR Vol. 47, No. 2, p. 39.

TABLE III. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases preventable by vaccination, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998,

Reporting Area UNITED STATES NEW ENGLAND	Cum.	venzae, isive		iepatitis (V	iral), by typ	10			0.0 1	ID	-1-1	
UNITED STATES NEW ENGLAND	Cum.	101.00					-		Measi	es (Ruber	ola)	
UNITED STATES NEW ENGLAND		Cum.	Cum,	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.	India	enous	lmp	orted [†]		otal
NEW ENGLAND	1998*	1997	1998	1997	1998	1997	1998	Cum. 1998	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997
NEW ENGLAND	563	617	10,981	13,854	3,908	4,610		24		13	37	
Maine	33	35	140	312	62	84		1		1	2	73
Maine N.H.	2 5	3 5	13	41	2	6					4	10
Vt.	2	3	13	18	10	5			0	0		1
Mass.	22	21	42	154	17	37		1		i	2	
R.I. Conn.	2	2	9 56	28	32	8			-		~	8
MID. ATLANTIC	80	84		64		23		*		*	*	1
Upstate N.Y.	33	19	706 166	1,148	575 158	670	*	9	*	2	11	16
N.Y. City	15	23	188	512	143	127 266	*	2	*	-	2	4
N.J. Pa.	28	28	161	177	105	128		7		1	8	5 2
E.N. CENTRAL	-	14	191	302	169	149	~			1	1	5
Ohio CENTRAL	84 34	92 46	1,356	1,481	385	774		9		3	12	8
Ind.	23	8	177 89	200 146	37 37	42 55	*	-	*	1	1	
III.	23	25	219	374	67	146		2		1	3	-
Mich. Wis.	4	13	773	660	228	234		7		1	8	6 2
W.N. CENTRAL			98	111	16	297	*		*	-	-	-
Minn.	51 37	30 21	875 69	1,021	176	265		*				11
lowa	1	3	374	90 159	18 33	23	*	*				2
Mo.	8	3	346	556	98	194	Ü	-	Ü	*	*	:
N. Dak. S. Dak.		2	3	9	4	3						1
Nebr.		2	16 15	14	7		-	*				8
Kans.	5		52	152	15	17		*	*	*		*
S. ATLANTIC	119	101	946	748	569	548				-	*	*
Del. Md.			2	16		3	-	2	*	5	7	3
D.C.	38	42	173	118	83	82	*	*		1	1	1
Va.	12	7	30 129	14 99	53	21 64	*	*	×	*		1
W. Va.	4	3	1	6	3	9				2	2	
N.C. S.C.	15	17	51	105	111	121						1
Ga.	24	20	17 253	65 173	92	60	*	*	*	*		
Fla.	22	9	290	152	213	57 131		2	*	1	1	
E.S. CENTRAL	31	37	180	347	189	359				*	2	*
Ky.	4	4	12	44	22	22			*	*	*	1
Tenn. Ala.	20	23	123	212	135	240	-					-
Miss.	Ú	2	45 U	52 39	32 U	38 59			*			1
W.S. CENTRAL	30	29	2,072	2,832			U	U	U	U	U	*
Ark.		2	43	127	646 46	547	*	*	*	*		4
La. Okta.	13	6	41	110	47	63		-		*	*	*
Tex.	15	19	283	845	31	18					2	
MOUNTAIN	67		1,705	1,750	522	425	*	*	*	*		4
Mont.	0/	64	1,732 56	2,048	434	447	*		*	*		7
idaho		1	142	77	3 18	5 15				*	*	2
Wyo. Colo.	14	1	23	20	2	14	-				*	*
N. Mex.	5	9	131 85	231 162	52	85	-		*	*		
Ariz.	38	23	1,108	957	176 119	149 96	*	~	+	*		
Utah Nev.	4	3	118	346	39	53		*		-	*	5
PACIFIC	6	21	69	205	25	30	U	*	U			2
PACIFIC Wash.	68	145	2,974	3,917	872	916		3		2	5	13
Oreg.	29	24	573 209	280 193	64	39	*	-		î	1	13
Calif.	28	113	2,155	3,345	58 739	57 803		2	*			
Alaska Hawaii	1	1	14	22	6	11		3		1	4	10
	6	5	23	77	5	6	-					3
Guam P.R.	2	*	*	*		3	U		U			9
/.l.	2	ũ	23 U	180	238	391			*			-
mer. Samoa	Ü	U	ŭ	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U
LN.M.L	*	5	1	1	28	26	Ü	U	U	U	U	U

N: Not notifiable U: Unavailable -: no reported cases

[&]quot;Of 132 cases among children aged <5 years, serotype was reported for 74 and of those, 32 were type b. [†]For imported measles, cases include only those resulting from importation from other countries.

TABLE III. (Cont'd.) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases preventable by vaccination, United States, weeks ending July 4, 1998, and June 28, 1997 (26th Week)

		ococcal pase		Mumps			Pertussis			Rubella	
Reporting Area	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum. 1997	1998	Cum. 1998	Cum.		Cum.	Cum
UNITED STATES	1,540	2.002	7	243	354	60		1997	1998	1998	1997
NEW ENGLAND	69	123		1	7	3	2,135 373	2,645 548	1	252	87
Maine	4	12					5	548		33	1
N.H. Vt.	4	12		40			34	62			
Mass.	34	64		1	2	3	36 282	172 285	-	6	-
R.I. Conn.	23	8	*	*	4		3	12			1
MID. ATLANTIC	144	25	-		1	*	13	11		27	
Upstate N.Y.	37	205 58		16	43	10	274 140	212 78		112	24
N.Y. City	16	36		4	3		4	50		105	20
N.J. Pa.	39 52	41 70	*	1 8	7 28	*	5	11	*	4	-
E.N. CENTRAL	221	297	1	42	37		125	73	-	1	*
Ohio	83	106		19	14	9	196 72	252 74	*		4
Ind.	41	33	1	5	4	8	61	29			-
Mich.	26	89		17	10		14 32	34	*	*	
Wis.	24	28			1		17	31 84			à
W.N. CENTRAL	125	147		20	12		168	153		13	7
Minn.	24	24 31	*	10	5	*	100	98			
Mo.	48	68	Ú	6	6	Ü	39 12	8 25			*
N. Dak.	:	1		1	*	-	12	1	U	2	
S. Dak. Nebr.	6	4 5	*		1	*	4	3		*	*
Kans.	23	14		-			5 8	3 15	-	11	*
S. ATLANTIC	278	335	2	34	41	2	130	232	1	8	
Del. Md.	1	4					1			8	29
D.C.	23	35 5			1	*	26	79		*	*
Va. W. Va.	23	34	1	5	6		6	2 25			1
N.C.	9	14 62		8	7	*	.1	4	*	*	*
S.C.	44	38		4	10		44 15	68		5	22
Ga. Fla.	61 77	62 81	1	1	5		6	6		-	
E.S. CENTRAL	107	148	1	16	12	2	30	37	1	3	*
Ky.	16	38		1	19	2 2	50 20	51	-		1
Tenn.	42	48		1	3		17	13			
Ala. Miss.	49 U	45 17	Ú	Ü	6 7		13	12	*		1
W.S. CENTRAL	180	192	3	34		U	U	6	U	U	
Ark.	22	25	3	34	42	4	139	83		68	3
La. Okla.	35 27	38	3	5	11	-	1	11			
Tex.	96	23 106		29	31	3	13	9	*	-	
MOUNTAIN	86	118	1	22	46	21	106	57	*	68	3
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TABLE IV. Deaths in 122 U.S. cities,* week ending July 4, 1998 (26th Week)

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U: Unavailable :: no reported cases

*Mortality data in this table are voluntarily reported from 122 cities in the United States, most of which have populations of 100,000 or more. A death is reported by the place of its occurrence and by the week that the death certificate was filed. Fetal deaths are not included.

*Presumonia and influenza.

*Because of changes in reporting methods in this Pennsylvania city, these numbers are partial counts for the current week. Complete counts will be available in 4 to 6 weeks.

*Total includes unknown ages.

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